



## United States Department of the Interior

### BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

#### Gila District

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In Reply To:

**FIRE PREVENTION ORDER NO. AZ-210-05-01 FIRE AND  
SMOKING RESTRICTION BUREAU OF LAND  
MANAGEMENT SAFFORD FIELD OFFICE**

-Safford/Tucson Field Office represented by the Gila District

Under the authority of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et. seq.) and pursuant to CFR 9212.2 this Fire Prevention Order establishes fire restrictions for all Bureau of Land Management (BLM) administered public lands within Graham, Greenlee, Cochise, Santa Cruz, Apache, and Navajo counties, and parts of Gila, Pinal, and Pima counties under protection of the Safford/Tucson Field Offices.

In the interest of Wildfire Prevention and Public Safety, and in compliance with CFR 9212.2 requiring BLM actions to compliment and support state and local Wildfire Prevention, all state and local Wildfire Laws and Regulations shall apply to all public lands within Graham, Greenlee, Cochise, Santa Cruz, Apache, and Navajo counties, and parts of Gila, Pinal, and Pima counties under protection of the Safford/Tucson Field Offices.

The restrictions in this Fire Prevention Order are necessary to prevent wildfire and facilitate its suppression during the current episode of high fire danger in Arizona.

Effective April 19, 2006, and until rescinded, the following acts are prohibited:

1. Building or using a fire, campfire, charcoal broiler or wood stove except in developed camping and picnicking areas. However, the use of propane and petroleum-fueled stoves, lanterns or heating devices is allowed beyond developed sites.
2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, in a developed recreation site, or while stopped in an area at least three feet in diameter that is barren or cleared of all flammable material.

The following persons are exempt from the restrictions of this Fire Prevention Order:

1. Any Federal, State or local officer or member of an organized fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Violation of this Fire Prevention Order is punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000, or imprisonment of not more than 12 months, or both. (43 CFR 9212.4).

Signed at Safford, Arizona, this thirteenth day of March, 2006

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